GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:4350
ANSWERED ON:21.08.2000
POLLUTION DUE TO DIESEL AND PETROL
JOACHIM BAXLA

Will the Minister of ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the attention of the Government has been drawn to the newsitem captioned "Have a breath of Poison" appearing in the Pioneer dated July 21,2000;

(b) if so, whether due to pollution from diesel and petrol more than 10,000 people die in Delhi every year; and

(c) if so, the details therof?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS (SHRI BABU LAL MARANDI)

(a): Yes, Sir.

(b): No such conclusive data is available for Delhi.

(c): Does not arise.